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In answer to your letter of 27 December 1951, the Office of the Director of OSS was abolished on 1 October 1945 and the functions of OSS were split — the majority of them being transferred to the Strategic Services Unit of the War Department for liquidation. SSU now exists purely for the purpose of handling inquiries and matters relating to OSS activities. It has no employment activities whatsoever.

In view of your reference to the Central Intelligence Agency, I have taken the liberty of referring your inquiry to that office, asking them to take such action as they deem appropriate.

Yours truly,

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